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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Juan Jose Legarda Ibanez))) Aut Huit, 1617
Serial No. 10/621,229) Art Unit: 1617)
Filed: July 15, 2003) Examiner: Jennifer M. Kim)
For: FLUMAZENIL FOR THE TREATMENT OF ALCOHOL DEPENDENCY))

FIRST AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on April 19, 2006, please consider the following amendment and remarks. Also enclosed with this response is a Petition for a one month extension of time along with the required fee.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA, 22313-1450, on August 21, 2006.

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